

SPLENDID FIGHTING SPIRIT

SHOWN BY THE AMERICAN BOYS AT THE FRONT.

Miss Kate Wolf Tells of German Complaint Americans Shoot too Straight and Shoot to Kill.

I've just come in and have reason to be thankful that I stole an hour to run off to the convent and lie down. I was dead tired and never can lie down here without having to jump up in five minutes.

Two women came, and having several hours between trains, must sight-see. People like that always expect one to be polite regardless of tired feet and aching legs. Doubtful, thoughtfully told them he did not know when I would return, so they regretfully departed alone to do the town. They had heard so much about Miss W., etc., they wanted to see her, again he remarked she the town and come back, she will return as there will be another train of wounded about 9 o'clock, he knowing very well just when I would be here.

I'd like to have a few lucky helpers these days, so put on your invisible cap and sit on the wishing carpet. We had two trains of French wounded at noon, 58 Americans on one. Some of the boys were in a bad way from gas, no voices, eyes swelled shut and running rivers. The dirty brutes of boches are banking all on gas against our men—never have I seen so many cases. One night I had thirty-eight here from Major Roosevelt's command, by the way he is adored by his men. They told me the gas attack against them lasted six hours and some of the boys were overcome, and knocked out. They were gasped, they did not know how badly. Even after all that they drove off to the front. You can tell up to the bursting point with pride over your soldiers, they are going splendidly all along the line. Several said "This would be a lucky war if it was not for the gas." Their morale is great and all are determined to win the final result.

The boys are not afraid of gas. Personal remarks about their backs, necks, and faces for the first time. They will go into the trenches, I am sure. However, you will interfere where they sleep when they have whole bones.

The French have been magnificent through this long hard time and have well earned a little breathing spell, though they are still pushing away and are well with joy over it. As our men have gone into the struggle. All the French would like to tell me what my Comrades are doing. The other day a train of French wounded and one of our troops met in the station here—the roof had two minds about flying. The poor American boys are poor boys, though they are not. Later in the day another troop and one of our Sanitary trains crossed each other. Every fellow with voice enough left yelled "Give 'em hell for us boys." "You bet, that's what we're going to do for," came back and young America could be heard blooming away. The French smiled and cried saying, "More Americans are passing, oh the brave young men. Now they are coming to help France. They are magnificent fighters like our own brave boys, together they will drive out the dirty boche—and so they will, for their fighting blood is up and as one German officer (prisoner of a few days said to one of the boys who comes here) "We don't like facing the Americans, they shoot too straight—they always aim for the head or chest and they shoot to kill every time." To-day I said something to one boy on the subject and he said, "they are such dirty fighters, it's a shame we ever miss killing one of them. There shouldn't be one left alive. If you could see what they do up there you would say the same. I'm going back as soon as I can. I'm all right now and I don't want to waste time here when I should be back with the outfit. Do you think the doctor where we're going will have any sense. I couldn't make that Frenchman understand that I was all right. I aint here to loaf around a hospital, we're here to get Fritz and by—well get him." There is the spirit of the front! Naturally there are those who are willing to get out of the trenches at any price, but it's not the many who have a yellow streak.

Every time one asks about things at the front the answer is "Everything is all right, we're giving Fritz worse than he gives us." We are being killed—oh yes—but we are killing more of them than they are of us, even though they shoot half their time shooting gas at us.

Isn't it horrible when men think only of how many other men they can kill and women tell them to get all the year as though they were swatting flies, and then praise them when they have helped heap up German dead—To such a pass has this war world come.

The eleventh installment of the fund is on its way to Miss Wolf and contributions from the following have been received in the past two weeks:

Mrs. Frank Bonesky, Gettysburg
Mrs. C. S. Duncan, Gettysburg
Mrs. Adam Deardorff, Cashtown
Miss Elizabeth Gintling and friends of York.
Miss Kate Miller, Gettysburg
John D. Raffensperger, Gettysburg
Miss Katherine Sheads, Gettysburg

Mrs. Robert Sugdon, Hampton, Va. Mrs. Wible, 4th Grade School, Gettysburg. United Service Club, by Mrs. C. H. Hartman. This organization is composed of little girls of town who have been holding weekly meetings for some months at which they have learned to knit so that they may do their bit for the Red Cross.

CRATIFYING.

The Compiler's point of view has been that Gettysburg did not need a word of defense by reason of the falsehoods contained in a few recent articles knocking this place. Falsehoods can not hurt the object aimed at but always, like chickens, go home to roost. It would be expecting too much not to find some one, of the thousands who have been here, with a grouse, and indulging sour inwardness at the expense of surroundings. The man who grows at his table fare in the army or away from home usually has the poorest kind of fare at home. Thousands of boys have voiced but one opinion of Gettysburg, and that altogether to our credit. Hosts who have gone elsewhere have wished they were back here, like the boys who went to Camp Greene last fall. When we all know we have been going our limit in every way in our power, it is not worth while to pay any attention to the grouse.

It is gratifying, however, to find a former resident and native, saying a few things like the following:

Bellefonte Defends Gettysburg.

To the Editor of the Public Ledger: Sir—In a recent communication to the "Public Ledger," H. B. Lathrop tells of a visit he made to the training camp at Gettysburg. Mr. Lathrop was much disturbed because this town, which during the last fifty years has entertained almost every distinguished man in the United States and many foreigners of note, as well as hundreds of organizations from all parts of the country, was not excited by the presence of his son in camp or by his own visit. He was actually made to pay for things, doubtless at the advanced prices at which he disposes of his own goods. He learned to his sorrow that some persons found the large disturbances due to the camp a source of profit and charges the people of Gettysburg, relatively few of whom profit through the location of the camp, with wholesale extortion. The presence of twelve young men, hungry for entertainment, taxes severely the resources of a town like Gettysburg. But it may be questioned whether the opportunities for study and observation which a town of 20 persons affords qualify Mr. Lathrop for expert judgment in such matters.

CHARLES M. McCURDY.
Bellefonte, Pa., September 7, 1918.

BREWING BEER STOPS DEC. 1

WAR PROHIBITION GOES INTO EFFECT JULY 1, 1919.

Prohibition Amendment Will Be Adopted By Thirty-six States Early Next Year.

John Barleycorn is practically dead. The wise ones are deserting him as fast as they can and turning breweries into flour mills and other industries. Gettysburg is dry to-day by reason of the dry zone about Camp Colt and it is possible that Gettysburg is forever dry. It is not going to pay any one to pay the license required to keep open a bar and not be able to sell beer. If the dry zone around Gettysburg continues until December 1, when the brewing of beer stops, it will not be worth while for licensed dealers to operate their places for a month or two and have no beer for sale. Then in January a big license would have to be paid to run their places until July 1st and only be able to sell wines and spirituous liquors. Such a situation in the ordinary course of events could easily resolve itself into the present dryness being the beginning of what the War Prohibition and Prohibition Amendment would perpetuate.

The decision to stop the brewing of beer on December 1 was reached after a conference between President Wilson and the heads of the four big war bodies of the Government—the Food, Fuel and Railroad Administrations and the War Industries Board.

The Food Administration takes the position that the breweries are consuming grain that is needed for food. The Fuel Administration complains that coal to operate the breweries cannot be spared.

The Railroad Administration objects to the amount of space devoted to beer shipments. The War Industries Board objects to a continuance of beer making because the labor so employed is needed in the war plants.

Last Friday the U. S. Senate passed the War Prohibition for July 1, on Sept. 6, and bill went to the House and it is expected that in a short time certain amendments made by the Senate will be agreed to and the bill become a law.

The Legislatures of fourteen States have approved the Constitutional Amendment. That is all the States in which legislatures have convened this year. Early next year the legislatures of 31 States will meet and it will be a matter of a few months before 22 States have approved the amendment and made the nation dry.

If Pennsylvania at the order of wet politicians refuses to vote dry, it will make no difference for thirty-six States are going to make the nation dry.

In this condition of affairs it would not be a surprising thing if there were no prohibitions for licenses at the January Court in Adams county.

HOUSEHOLD ARTS IN SCHOOL.

Will Have Complete Residence for Training Purposes.

The School Board has solved its last difficulty for the new year in having rented the residence of Daner Buchler, corner of East Middle street and Confederate avenue for a Household Arts Department. The securing of this house provides for the continuation of a department threatened by the increased attendance in the High School and gives to that school the room that department had occupied. Possession of the house will be taken October 1st. The janitor at the High School will have charge of the furnace and Misses Fox and Myers, teachers in charge of the department, will live in the house.

The State requires that this department expand, adding new features. The new home of the Household Arts will furnish the Demonstration Bed Room and Bath Room and the care of same will be taught with nursing, etc. This feature is very valuable at the present time when the demand is for nurses and when this course will give the High School girls proposing to become trained nurses a decided advantage in their work.

On the first floor of the new home will be located the kitchen and dining room department and sewing room. The laundry will be moved from the school building to the basement of the new building. The house is admirably arranged for the purposes of the school and this department will go forward maintaining the high standard it has aimed at from its inception and giving a training most valuable.

Boy Hurt in Auto Accident.

Robert M. Rupp, of Hagerstown, was unfortunate last week in having his auto hit a boy. The boy was Frank Hartle, aged about 13 years. The boy was riding a bicycle carrying three screens on the machine, when the sedan of Robert M. Rupp came out of Prospect street, striking the boy and wheel. He was picked up by Mr. Rupp and carried into the office of the Coca-Cola Bottling Works and given first aid. Later he was removed to the hospital in Dr. V. D. Miller's car and attended by him. Mr. Rupp accompanied the physician and boy to the hospital. The accident, it is understood, was unavoidable.

Buy Canning Plant.

The firm of Grove & Davis of York Springs, has purchased the canning plant at that place and will conduct the business this fall. W. E. Grove and Wm. Davis built a small canning plant in York Springs in the fall of 1915 and the venture proving successful enlarged the plant the next year. Before the season of 1917 opened they sold the establishment to the Toledo Grocery Company which corporation retained possession until last week. A new boiler, cider press and other machinery has been added to the plant which has been very much enlarged this summer.

DEATH'S HARVEST OF WEEK

MRS. MARY SCOTT, WIDOW OF HUGH D. SCOTT.

Samuel M. Dotterer, the Brick Manufacturer, Passes Away—Dr. C. Z. Myers of York, and Others.

Mrs. Mary Scott, widow of the late Hugh D. Scott, died at her home on Carlisle street, this place, on last Saturday. Mrs. Scott was a native of Harrisburg, her maiden name being Miss Mary Harris, a daughter of Thomas Harris, and a direct descendant of John Harris, the founder of this city. She was married to Hugh D. Scott in 1868, and lived her entire married life in Gettysburg. Mr. Scott being Superintendent of the Western Maryland Branch through here. Mr. Scott died in 1899 and Mrs. Scott has made her home here since. The funeral was private and held on Monday, services being conducted by Revs. F. E. Taylor and D. W. Woods, and interment being made in the Evergreen Cemetery. Mrs. Scott leaves one son, Major John Reed Scott, a brother, Samuel R. Harris, of Ashley, Ohio, and a sister, Mrs. W. K. Schick, of Harrisburg.

Samuel M. Dotterer died on Wednesday morning at his home on Baltimore street after several months' illness, aged 64 years, 11 months and 9 days. He had suffered with acute dilation of the heart. He was a native of Maryland but has been living in Gettysburg ever since a small boy. He learned the brick-making business in the Pfeiffer Plant years. He was in charge of the brick making plant west of town when it started and at the time he was taken ill was manager of a brickyard at Charlestown, W. Va. He enjoyed the respect of all who knew him and was a member of St. James Lutheran Church. He leaves his wife, who before marriage was Miss Josepha Pfeiffer, of Gettysburg. He also leaves two sisters and a brother: Mrs. Harrison Swisher, of Baltimore; Mrs. Marshall Ecker, of York; and Carl Dotterer, of Charlestown, W. Va.

Dr. C. Z. Myers, a member of the medical profession and prominent Democrat, died in York on Monday. His general health had been in decline for the past several years. Dr. Myers was 59 years of age. Because of his long years of activity in politics as a Democrat, Dr. Myers was known to many people of this county. Under many administrations, Dr. Myers was physician at the York County Almshouse and at one time filled the position of physician at the York county jail. In 1901 he was elected to the office of register of wills.

Frederick Oberlander, who was residing with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sunday, at LaBott, died from the effects of a paralytic stroke with which he was stricken about one hour before, on Sunday. He was 81 years of age. He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Harry Sunday, a son, Jesse Oberlander, of East Berlin, and two sisters, Mrs. Sarah Moul, of York; and Mrs. Levi Moul, of LaBott. The funeral was on Tuesday with service and interment at Holtzschwam Church.

Henry Eckenrode, of near Thurmont, Md., died suddenly September 3, from apoplexy, aged 74 years. Besides his widow, who was Miss Margaret Roddy, he leaves two sons and five daughters: George Eckenrode, at home; Rev. John Eckenrode, pastor of St. Mary's Church, Washington; Mrs. Theodore Rosensteel, of Motter's Station; and Misses Annie, Lula, Bertha and Mary Eckenrode, at home. Two sisters, Mrs. Josephine McCairn, of Hagerstown; and Mrs. Isabel Baker, of Emmitsburg, and one brother, Vincent Eckenrode, and Mr. St. Mary's also survive him.

Lieut. James Gault Elder, a cousin of Mrs. S. Gray Bigham, of Biglerville, was killed in action July 31. Lieut. Elder was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Matthew B. Elder, of Harrisburg. He was a student at Princeton when the war broke out and went to the first training camp at Fort Niagara, where he won his second Lieutenant's commission. He was assigned to Gettysburg and later to Camp Greene. In May he went overseas with the 47th Infantry.

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Last Toll on Lincoln Way Gone.

The State Highway Department and the Attorney General on Sept. 5 took over the last toll road on the Lincoln Highway, joining with the County of Lancaster in buying ten miles of the Lancaster and Susquehanna turnpike between Lancaster and Columbia. The price was \$80,000 shared alike by the State and County. The county commissioners and a large delegation of autoists made a trip over the pike and erected signs declaring the road free from tolls.

WANTED—

SUBSCRIPTIONS IN ADVANCE.

The Compiler has been observing the rule of not using space in appeals for payment of subscriptions. Circumstances however, alter cases. The Government in order to save paper has made 13 orders. One being that publishers are not to continue subscriptions after date of expiration unless subscriptions are renewed and paid for.

This is an order on us and we pass it on to our subscribers in arrears in the belief that the Compiler, one hundred years old in service in Adams county, is entitled to their co-operation to comply with the order. See to it at once that your paper is paid in advance.

Many subscribers have our thanks for subscriptions paid during the past week. Please let the good work go on.

"OVERHERE" AND "OVERTHERE"

Charles H. Hartmann, purchasing agent of the Reaser and Gettysburg Furniture plants, who has made a host of friends here, has accepted a job under Uncle Sam as an inspector in the Aircraft Production Inspection Department. He leaves Monday for his post of duty in Washington.

William Tipton Timmins, of Gettysburg, who enlisted in the U. S. Cavalry some months ago, is now Lieutenant Timmins, having recently been promoted to a second lieutenant. Lieutenant Timmins has been stationed on the border since his enlistment where he early won the silver bars of Marksman and Expert Pistol Shot. Later he advanced to Sergeant and his commission is strictly an award of merit as he did not attend a training school.

Horace Stewart, Baltimore street, has received a commission in the U. S. Navy with the rank of lieutenant. Lieut. Stewart has been in the American Merchant Marine for several years and has made many trips with his boat into foreign waters. He will be stationed for the present at New York.

Winfield Grenoble, of Lebanon, formerly of Gettysburg, has been commissioned a captain in the U. S. Quartermaster Corps and has been assigned to duty as assistant depot quartermaster at El Paso, Texas.

Miss Nelle Bream, trained nurse, daughter of Jacob Bream, East Middle street, has volunteered her services as an army nurse, and has been accepted. Miss Bream was assigned to Camp Colt, Gettysburg, and took the oath of her appointment on September 3, entering active service the same day.

Donald Glenn Mickle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Muel F. Mickle, Baltimore street, has enlisted in the Marines from Barborton, Ohio, and was called into active service this week.

Robert Mishler, U. S. Marine, has been transferred to the Marine Flying Corps and is now taking technical training at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Mr. Mishler was formerly with the Royal Flying Corps.

Ray Williams, of Gettysburg, has successfully passed the examination for the Officers' Training School at Camp Lee, Va., and entered upon his studies there on Friday.

Francis Smith, Baltimore street, has gone to Cambridge Springs, Pa., to take special technical training having been inducted into the service through the local Board.

Ralph Stover, son of J. H. Stover, who enlisted in the U. S. Naval Reserves in the early summer, was called to duty at Philadelphia this week.

Lester Stauffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stauffer, Water street, left on Saturday for duty with the U. S. Naval Reserves, having enlisted several weeks ago.

Lieut. Edwin Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roberts, of near Arendtsville, in the aviation service, while instructing a pupil, had his engine stall at a height of 150 feet and the airplane descended to the ground; the plane was smashed but Lieut. Roberts and his pupil escaped any injury and shortly after went up in another plane.

The report that Norman Tate was in a hospital in this country and had to have a leg amputated has not been verified. Mr. Tate was wounded in action. Inquiry has been made at the many hospitals and word has been sent his parents that there is no patient of the name in this country.

Mrs. Frank Bonesky, Chambersburg street, has received word from her husband in France, that he was in a hospital recovering from the effects of being gassed and powder burned. Sergt. Bonesky is with a Machine Gun Battalion.

The Congressional Record of September 3 mentions among the large number of captains in the United States fighting forces, who were promoted to majors, Keller E. Rockey of the Marines. Major Rockey is well known here where he attended Gettysburg College.

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PERSONAL POINTS OF VIEW

COMINGS AND GOINGS INTO AND OUT OF THE TOWN.

Social and Other Individual Happenings and Other Local Items of Interest.

—Mrs. B. B. Brumbaugh, of Denton, Caroline county, Md., is spending some time with her sister, M. S. Heretier at her home in Highland township.

—Harold Creager, Baltimore street, has gone to Williamsport where he will teach mathematics in Dickinson Seminary.

—Mrs. George Spangler, near town, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spangler and son of New York, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hartman in Littlestown.

—Mrs. A. L. Moore and daughter, Mrs. Swanson, of Philadelphia, have returned to their home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Hartman, York street.

—Mrs. W. C. Storrick, Lincoln avenue, has gone to Pottsville where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Arbogast.

—Rev. F. H. Brunstetter, Baltimore street, attended the Methodist Sunday School Institute in Harrisburg on Friday.

—The Compiler is indebted to Geo. W. Beck, of Buchanan Valley, for the finest basket of yellow peaches seen this year.

—Rev. and Mrs. D. M. Moser have returned to their home on Carlisle street after spending a month with relatives in Philadelphia and York.

—Mrs. Lillie Sterner Elder and Miss Astrea Sterner, of Pittsburgh, are spending several weeks with relatives in town.

—Mrs. McCallum has returned to her home at South Manchester, Conn., after a week's visit at the home of Mrs. Fred Thorn, Chambersburg street. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Harry Saunders, Chambersburg street, who will be her guest for several weeks.

—Mrs. C. A. Sefton, of Newport, Pa., and Mrs. Rogers, of Thurmont, Md., have returned to their homes after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Knoch, Center Square.

—Miss Grace Eicholtz, Steinwehr avenue, has returned from a business trip to Baltimore.

—Lieut. and Mrs. Robert E. Lee have returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Oyler, Chambersburg street after spending a week with relatives at Kane, Pa.

—Miss Margaret Moriarty of Harrisburg, is spending several days with Miss Laura Irvin at her home on West Middle street.

—Mrs. Jerome and daughter, Miss Helen Jerome, of Baltimore, are the guests of Miss Olivia McClean, East Middle street.

—Mrs. M. C. Bair and niece, Miss Mary Kohler, have returned to their home on Carlisle street, after spending a month at Tobyhanna, Pa.

—Misses Sara and Amelia Butt have returned to Hood College, Frederick, Md., after spending the vacation months at their home on Carlisle street.

—Miss Sadie Shriver has returned to Lakewood, N. J., to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools after spending the summer at her home on York street.

—Joseph Eckenrode has returned to Camp Humphreys, Va., after spending several days at his home on South Washington street.

—Miss Sara Ludwig, of Kerser, W. Va., is visiting Miss Kathryn Deardorff at her home on West Middle street.

—J. H. H. Millar, of New Oxford, was a business visitor in Gettysburg on Wednesday.

—Mrs. John E. Shirey, of Philadelphia, is spending some time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jere Plank.

—John Straley, of near Littlestown, visited friends in town on Thursday.

—Rev. and Mrs. Earl Rudisill and son have returned to their home in Chicago after spending a month with Mr. Rudisill's parents, Hon. and Mrs. D. Calvin Rudisill, near town.

—Mrs. J. W. Richard and Miss Esther Coffinberry, Springs avenue, have gone on an extended western trip. They will spend several months in Kansas and California and also on Mrs. Richard's ranch at Crook, Colo.

—William McSherry, Esq., made the presentation speech at the unfurling of the service flag at St. Joseph's Church, Hanover, on Wednesday evening.

More Adams County Boys Have Gone

On last Friday thirteen registrants from this county left for Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N. J. The boys had all been accepted for special or limited duty and it is not known to what work it is proposed to assign them. The boys in the party were:

Robt. A. Hassler, Fayetteville R 2
Alvey Solomon Gantz, Fairfield or Aspers.

Alfred Leo Myrick, Gettysburg
Clarence D. Bigham, Iron Springs
Harry C. Lackner, Jr., Gettysburg
Guy Henry Naylor, Biglerville R 1
John Pius Small, Gettysburg R 3
Roy Mervin Shank, York Springs
Geo. Edward Black, Aspers R 2
Otto S. Criswell, Gettysburg
John Nathaniel Miller, Gettysburg
Gerald C. Bixler, Buffalo, N. Y.
Harry Allen Musser, Gettysburg.

Eighteen of the 83 men sent last week to Camp Lee were rejected because of failure to pass physical tests.

Whatever You Do, Please Keep in Mind

The Carlisle Fair

Which will be held at

Carlisle, Sept. 24, 25, 26, 27

Something Doing all the Time

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Get a list of the special Premiums and Prizes and take home some of the Prize Money.

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Admission 25 cents

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County on Monday the 16th day of September, 1918, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., for the approval and granting of certain amendments to the charter of Johns' Church, of the Borough of Berwick, Adams county, Pa., as set forth in the petition therefore filed in said Court agreeably to the provisions of the "Corporation Act of 1874," and its supplements.

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Do your bit by lending a bit to the Government. Buy Thrift and War Saving Stamps.

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Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County on Saturday, the 24th day of August, 1918, at 10:30 A. M., for the approval and granting of certain amendments to the charter of "The German Baptist Brethren Church of Marsh Creek," as set forth in the petition therefore filed in said Court, agreeably to the provisions of the Corporation Act of 1874, and its supplements.

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WESTERN MARYLAND RY.

Announces discontinuance of Train No. 161 after Sunday, September 8th, 1918.

PEN-MAR PARK

Season closes next Sunday

\$1.08 Round Trip \$1.08
Including War Tax

Train leaves Gettysburg 9.32 a m
Returning leaves Pen-Mar Park 7.30 p m.

Last Excursion to Pen-Mar

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY On Friday, September 27, 1918.

The undersigned executor of Kate McCreary will sell on the premises on West Middle street, Gettysburg, the following real estate:

LOT OF GROUND fronting on West Middle street thirty feet and running back one hundred and fifty-two and one-half feet bounded on the east by land of McPherson heirs, and on the west by lands of Wm. F. Weaver. Improved with a new two-story brick six room house in good repair. The residence is splendidly situated. There is a ten foot space between house and line of the McPherson land. Large pleasant rooms with good cellar and large garage. Gas and water in the house. Sale to begin at 1 o'clock when terms will be made known by

WM. ARCH. McCLEAN,
Executor of
Kate McCreary.

J. M. Caldwell, Auct.

Melvin Boyer, of near New Oxford has bought the 16-acre farm of John Sunday, Reading township, near East Berlin. Consideration private and possession given next spring when Mr. and Mrs. Sunday intend moving to East Berlin.

REPORT

Of the condition of the National Bank of Arendtsville, at Arendtsville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business August 31, 1918.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....	\$129,776.37
Overdrafts, unsecured	29.00
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	25,000.00
U. S. bonds unpledged.....	8,003.92
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) unpledged	28,535.06
Collateral Trust and other notes of corporations	982.50
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	1,250.00
Banking house, \$3870.36; furniture and fixtures \$90.14.....	4,760.50
Checks on banks located outside town reporting. Interest earned but not collected	108.66
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	1,000.00
Lawful money reserve in bank: and with Federal Reserve Bank	16,685.31
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)	6,390.32
Total	1,250.00

Total \$223,771.64

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus fund	16,000.00
Undivided profits	4,025.29
Interest and amount collected or credited in advance of maturity	1,000.00
Circulating notes	25,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check	35,868.25
Certified checks	6.61
Cashier's checks outstanding	51.90
Deposits subject to 30 or more days' notice	116,819.29
Total	\$223,771.64

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, ES:

I, S. A. Skinner, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. A. SKINNER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Sept., 1918.

P. S. ORNER, N. P.
My commission expires May 10, 1921.

DAVID T. KOSER
S. G. BUCHER
ARTHUR ROBERTS
Directors.

Miss Esther Julius of Littlestown, returned to York Wednesday where she will resume her duties as teacher in the public schools.

Winour Currens, of near Taneytown, while driving home on Wednesday evening with his right leg hanging out of the buggy, had his leg caught in a wheel which drew him out of the vehicle breaking both bones in the leg. He was taken to Frederick hospital.

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ABOUT BOYS IN TRENCHES.

Progress of Hostilities on All Land
Fronts, in the Submarine Zones
and in the Up in the Air
Battlefields.

WAR BULLETINS

French troops, pushing on the south, captured Barisis and the entire lower forest of Coucy, occupying positions on the Hindenburg line which the Germans have held for four years. They also captured Tervin, three miles west of La Fere, advancing two miles on a twenty mile front.

Hun aviators deliberately pick out "Red Cross" on American hospital as target for bombs. Wounded saved by being transferred to caves.

The German General Staff has informed Imperial Chancellor Hertling that any debate in the Reichstag on present military events would be disastrous to the army as well as to the morale of the German people.

Indications are that the German retreat possibly will go beyond the Chemin des Dames to the Hindenburg line. American troops have taken Glennes and are approaching the Aisne at new places northeast of Fismes.

General Humbert in his movement from the west against the Chemin des Dames and the positions north of the Aisne is outflanking Genlis Woods and nearing the line of the Crozat canal.

On the banks of the Somme, south of Peronne, the enemy is manning his machine guns and trench mortars strongly and firing heavily on the crossings and their approaches, apparently fearing a British attempt to cross.

On all the rivers, the Lys, Somme, Oise and Aisne, the Germans are apparently engaged in a general retreat. Their resistance is greatest in front of Cambrai, where the British have again crossed the Canal du Nord south of Marquion.

WASHINGTON

War department officials say the criticism of draft raids will not be permitted to help slackers to evade army service. They declare there will be no let-up in gathering in real evaders.

Director General McAdoo reviews the seven months of government operation of railroads, explaining much that has been done and outlining policies for the future.

President Wilson has been forced to change plans for his Liberty loan tour of the country and will conduct his part in the great selling campaign for the most part from the White House. Because of rapidly changing world events he believed a trip into the West now would "extend too far the line of communication between the general and his headquarters."

Government expenses in August were at the rate of more than \$40,440 a minute, reaching the enormous total of \$1,895,513,000 and exceeding by more than \$200,000,000 the highest previous monthly record of expenses since the war began.

President Wilson called for a full report on the slacker raids, which closed with their third day. Mr. Wilson's action followed a bitter attack in the senate on the raids and those conducting them with resolution calling for an inquiry.

The senate approved granting power to the President to fix dry zones about war plants, but failed to reach a vote on national prohibition.

Shipbuilding figures for 1918 show the United States leading Great Britain in tonnage production for the first time in history.

GENERAL

Yale University endowment is doubted by \$15,000,000 Sterling bequest. Officials may use estate of New York lawyer for buildings.

New York scored within 1 per cent. of perfect in its second motorless Sunday. For hours in many sections of the city usually heavily traveled not a single automobile was observed. Highways to suburbs were equally deserted.

New York hotels are saving fruit pits to make charcoal for army gas masks.

The administration waterpower leasing bill was passed by the house.

The ban on carrying force reduction of the war revenue bill. Representative Kitchen predicts a loss from this and collateral sources of \$400,000,000 and asserts that if prohibition is enforced it will be necessary to raise \$1,000,000,000 from new sources.

To save car space on shipments of less than a full carload the railroad administration announced the appointment of an interregional committee of traffic managers.

Raymond T. Baker, director of the mint, was appointed United States platinum administrator.

Major James T. Pilcher, noted Brooklyn surgeon, now with the army in France, finds solution that ends terrors of gas poisoning. New treatment that kills bacilli.

Julius P. Hutzler, chief of German spies in America, was jailed in New York on orders of the Enemy Alien Bureau as the first steps toward his imprisonment.

Cheers from nine nations greeted the launching at Kearny, N. J., of the Plave, the huge vessel named as a tribute to the valor of Italy. Countess Macchi di Celeri christened the ship.

The government took over the entire construction of the air nitrate plant at Toledo. The Air Nitrate Corporation of New York was to have operated it for the government.

Provost Marshal General Crowder announced that inmates of state prisons, federal penitentiaries and jails will not be inducted into military service, but must register.

President Wilson by executive order suspended the eight hour law on government construction work in Boston, Baltimore, Detroit, New Orleans, San Francisco and Savannah.

The war department ordered more than 2,000,000 packages of chewing gum for the army.

German-American War

Newton D. Baker, secretary of war, has arrived in Paris for a war conference. Accompanying him are John D. Ryan, director of aircraft production, who will investigate conditions in France, and Surgeon General Gorgas, who will examine the situation at points of debarkation in France.

General March announces that 95 per cent of the American troops that were brigaded with the British and French have been withdrawn and assembled to make the next great drive against the Germans. He also said he had arranged to get the names of 20,000 slightly wounded Americans that have not been reported by General Pershing.

The American "eat 'em up" spirit, multiplied by more than 1,600,000, is the real answer to the ease with which the German has been pressed back ever since the Marne combat. This, in substance, is the view of a prominent General Staff officer.

Lord Reading, British ambassador at Washington, addresses American troops who took Juvigny, telling them the people at home are proud of them and that their work has put new spirit in the whole British and French armies. His address is said to have been the first ever delivered by an ambassador to troops on the front line.

Franco-American troops have pushed the Germans on the Vesle line north across the Aisne, while on the Ailette they occupied the lower forest of Courcy, reached the slopes of Port Conde and taken 30 villages.

SPORTING

H. P. Whitney's John won the \$10,725 Realization at the Belmont Park race track, R. T. Wilson's Whip-poorwill being his only competitor.

Mrs. Claire Galligan Finney of New York won the amateur distance swimming championship for women over a two and a half mile course at Detroit.

Despite the fact that Columbia University will be transformed this year into a virtual military academy, intercollegiate athletic sports will be continued.

Larry Gardner, third baseman of the Athletics, has applied for a berth as physical director for the Y. M. C. A. "over there" and expects to be appointed and in France in the near future.

Chillico, a Canadian trotter, won first money in the Charter Oak \$10,000 purse at the Grand Circuit meeting at Hartford, Conn. He was driven by Tommy Murphy.

Tom Gibbons laid claim some time ago to the middleweight title, doubtless on the ground that he was Mike's brother. Tom now will withdraw his claim, for he was put to sleep in Milwaukee the other night in the sixth round by Tommy Robson, a Boston welter.

Sunny Slope, a three-year-old thoroughbred, which brought \$225 as a yearling, is sold for \$25,000.

FOREIGN

London sees signs that the German people are in a state of nervous anxiety bordering on demoralization in the frequent appeals and proclamations of German leaders urging the people to keep their heads.

Governor E. L. Phillip has been renominated on the Republican ticket for governor of Wisconsin.

The building of the army warehouses and storage plant in France cost \$10,000,000.

The condition of Britain is reported more serious than the food situation had ever been.

A game of baseball by two American soldiers behind the lines was interrupted by German shells.

Paris reports that the allies now have virtually reached all the ground they lost in the German offensive early in the year. Food's strategy in forcing the evacuation of Ham and Chauny without striking a blow is regarded as a bitter pill for the German general staff.

Tobacco is classed a staple munition of war by the British.

The Spanish strikes have extended to Gibraltar, where 2,000 coal miners quit work. Roubles are believed to be due to German propaganda. Four hundred more strike breakers have been employed.

AMERICANS DRIVE FOE ACROSS AISNE

General Mangin's Operation a
Flank Movement Behind
Crown Prince's Forces.

ENEMY IN GRAVE PERIL.

Allies, Long Inactive About Rheims,
Go Into Battle and Contribute to
Germans' Rout North of the
Former Marne Sector.

London.—The Germans are in full retreat along the 30 mile front from Chamecy, north of Soissons, to the western approaches of Rheims. Between the Vesle and the Aisne they are closely pursued by the Americans. The latter already have reached the Aisne in the river angle east of Soissons. The bulk of the Crown Prince's forces are now back across the Aisne. In their pursuit the Americans are encountering stubborn rear guard resistance, consisting mainly of machine gun nests.

Franco-American forces were reported south of Vailly-sur-Aisne, eight miles northeast of Soissons and two and a half miles south of the slopes of the Chemin-des-Dames.

Late battle front dispatches report General Barthelot's Rheims army to have been swung into action. The Vesle-Aisne retreat may presently affect the German Champagne army.

The summit of the dominating plateau north of the Vesle is in American hands.

Meanwhile the French and British are breaking down the German stop-gap line east of the Canal-du-Nord and the Somme.

The French are driving hard and fast on Le Fere and St. Quentin, while the British are swooping down from the northwest upon the river bulwark in the German main defenses, at the same time maintaining their pressure toward Cambrai and Douai. In Flanders the British and American forces made further progress.

Chauny, the last important town before Le Fere is reached, is said to have been abandoned by the Teutons. It lies halfway between Noyon and Le Fere.

Further north, east of Nesle, the French have made new crossings of the Canal-du-Nord and are only two miles northwest of Ham at one point and four miles southeast of Ham at another.

General Mangin struck another great blow on the flank of the armies that had been on the Vesle. From the Oise to the Aisne he advanced in the forests and plateau, gaining at one point to a depth of two and a half miles. The armies below the Oise advanced on a front of more than 50 miles.

The official report records that this was no retreat on the part of the Germans, but was a consequence of the great hammering to which the divisions set to hold this flank have been subjected for the last two weeks. They could hold no longer and Mangin's army jumped forward.

The French and Americans have crossed the plateau north of the Vesle and have reached the ravines leading to the Aisne.

Our farthest advance patrols are reported to have reached the south bank of the canal. The Fifth Prussian Guards are resisting on the line Monrival-Romain.

On both sides of Peronne, east of the Somme and the Canal-du-Nord, the British are approaching the high ground between Athies and Nuri, Field Marshal Haig announced in his bulletin.

Further headway was made by the British north of Equancourt, northeast of Peronne. South of Marquion (six and a half miles northwest of Cambrai) the British have reached the east bank of the Canal-du-Nord.

English and New Zealand divisions captured Ruyancourt, on the east side and in close quarter fighting drove the enemy from the northwestern corner of Havrancourt woods, a broad forest just north of Metz-en-Couture.

PITH OF THE WAR NEWS

The British armies are on the last stage of their advance to the old Hindenburg line. Both British and French are fast closing the gap that remains, the former having cleared Havrancourt wood and the latter having crossed the Crozat canal between Tergnier and St. Quentin.

Nearly all the German gains in this year's campaign have been eliminated. Nineteen thousand prisoners were taken by the British during the first week in September.

"Keep going" now is the American war cry as they continue advance against the enemy.

French and American troops made big gains north of Soissons and south of the Somme, the French reaching Coucy and threatening St. Gobain, the Americans capturing Glennes and extending their line north of the Vesle.

The French captured Ham and Chauny. Further north the British advanced three miles on a twelve mile front east of Peronne and in Flanders captured Hill 63, facing Messines Ridge.

The French have recaptured all their old trenches along the whole of the front to the north of the Aisne river.

LIEUT. KILGORE.

Chief Ace of the United
States Aerial Mail Service.



Lieut. Edward W. Kilgore is one of the aviators who comprise the mail carrying force of the United States post office department.

FOE HURRIEDLY FLEES

Allied Pressure Has Forced Ger-
mans Into Full Retreat.

British Move Their Supplies Over
Routes Recently Evacuated
by the Germans.

Paris.—Beaten in the north by the British and Americans, beaten in the south by the French and Americans, the Germans are now in full retreat on the front from Ypres to Rheims. Though he has been opposing the allied advance by throwing in their way some of his divisions of rapidly depleting reserves, Ludendorff has nowhere been able to stay the progress of the allies.

Indication is furnished of the small hope he entertains of returning to positions now overrun by the allied forces by the action of his troops in burning and destroying their vast supply depots and towns and villages on his march eastward. Ham, Chauny, Tergnier and La Fere are burning and there are continual explosions of enemy munition dumps.

The ground over which our forces are advancing is strewn with debris of every nature. German corpses litter the fields, which were the scenes of sanguinary combats in which the Tommies, poilus and doughboys showed themselves superior to the German. Machine guns are found by thousands, abandoned by the retreating enemy, and engineering implements, broken down enemy tanks and big guns have obstructed the roads over which the transports of the allies must pass.

This proves that the enemy has been forced to retire before a determined adversary and has been so hampered by the swift advance of the allies that he has not had time to carry out a methodical retreat. Other signs also abound which give the lie to the German bulletins.

It is highly significant that the railroads, which a retreating foe would have found to his interest to destroy, are almost intact. So little damage has been done to them that over one stretch of line British trains have followed closely the advancing infantry. Bridges over canals and rivers and the homes of refugees have been destroyed thoroughly. That is the one marked achievement of the retreat.

NEAR BEER ALSO AFFECTED.

Soft Drinks Manufacturing May Be
Further Curtailed.

Washington.—Manufacturers of near beers and substitutes for beer, which have developed a flourishing business in prohibition territory, are just as much affected by the decision to cut off brewing of beer as those who make the actual beverages. Manufacture of all other beverages of the so-called "soft" variety some months ago was curtailed 50 per cent. by the food administration as conservation measure.

BIG UNITED STATES SHIP HIT.

Former Kronprinzessin Cecilie Safe
After Being Torpedoed.

Washington.—The American troop transport Mount Vernon, formerly the North German Lloyd liner Kronprinzessin Cecilie, has been torpedoed, but not sunk, by a German submarine. The liner, homeward bound after delivering her cargo of American reinforcements for France, was attacked 200 miles off the coast. The ship succeeded in getting safely back to a European port.

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REGISTER'S NOTICES.

Notice is hereby given to all legatees and other persons concerned that the administration accounts hereinafter entered will be presented at an Orphans' Court for confirmation and allowance on Monday, September 16, A. D., 1918, at 10:30 o'clock A. M. of said day.

234. First and final account of Mary M. Murren and Vitus J. Smith, administrators of the estate of William L. Murren, late of Mt. Pleasant township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

244. First and final account of W. H. Peters and J. F. Peters, administrators of the estate of Jesse Peters, late of Butler township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

245. The first and final account of Charles Lerew, executor of the will of Jacob Hoechst, late of Latimore township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

246. First and partial account of Peter A. Elssesser, administrator d. b. n. c. t. a., of the estate of Clayton S. Reaser, late of Gettysburg Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

247. The first and final account of J. L. Williams, Esq., administrator of the estate of Hannah C. Deardorff, late of Butler township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

248. First account of Emma W. Hafer and Chas. S. Duncan, executors of the will of W. W. Hafer, late of Abbottstown Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

249. Second account of Emma W. Hafer and Chas. S. Duncan, executors of the will of W. W. Hafer, late of the Borough of Abbottstown, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

250. Third account of Emma W. Hafer and Chas. S. Duncan, executors of the will of W. W. Hafer, late of the Borough of Abbottstown, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

251. Fourth account of Emma W. Hafer and Chas. S. Duncan, executors of the will of W. W. Hafer, late of the Borough of Abbottstown, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

252. Fifth account of Emma W. Hafer and Chas. S. Duncan, executors of the will of W. W. Hafer, late of the Borough of Abbottstown, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

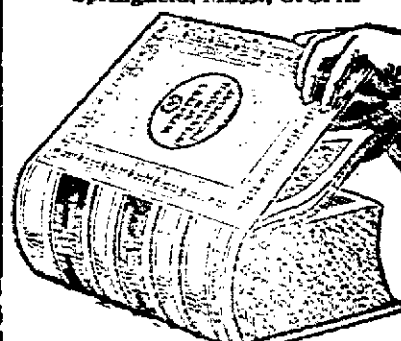
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County on Monday the 16th day of September, 1918, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., for the approval and granting of certain amendments to the charter of John's Church, of the Borough of Berwick, Adams county, Pa., as set forth in the petition therefore filed in said Court agreeably to the provisions of the "Corporation Act of 1874," and its supplements.

J. L. WILLIAMS,
Solicitor,
Gettysburg, Pa.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE FARM.

On Saturday, October 5, 1918.

The undersigned, heirs-at-law of John H. Duttera, Sr., late of New Oxford, Adams county, Pa., deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises all that Farm situate in Straban township, Adams county, fronting on the public road leading from Beaver Run to Stone Jug, adjoining lands of Wm. B. McIlhenny, Frank Beamer, Addison Horner, Jacob M. Weaver, Chas. Black, Roy Yeagy, Philip Weaver's heirs and the Woodside school house lot of Straban township, improved with a two story weather-boarded dwelling with 1 1-2 story out-house, large bank barn with wagon shed attached, hog pen, carriage house, implement shed, and other out-buildings, and containing 106 acres, more or less. The land is in a good state of cultivation, and the property is desirable as a country home and farm. Sale to commence at 1:30 P. M. when terms and conditions will be made known by

GEO. H. DUTTERA,

MAGGIE L. DUTTERA,
MARY S. RITTASE,
JOHN H. DUTTERA,
Heirs-at-Law.

Edw. A. Trostle, Auct.
J. L. Williams, Atty.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of September, 1918, the Gettysburg Railway Company, of Gettysburg, Penna., filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County its petition praying for a decree of dissolution, and that a hearing upon said application for dissolution has been fixed by said Court for Monday, the 21st day of October, 1918, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., when and where all persons interested may attend and show cause against the granting of the prayer of the said petitioner, if they so desire.

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Solicitors.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE

Estate of Mary C. Gilbert, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pa., deceased.—Letters testamentary on the last will and testament of said decedent, having been granted to the undersigned, she hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same to present them properly authenticated without delay for settlement.

ANNIE E. SOLT,
Gettysburg, Pa.,
Executrix.

Or her Atty.,
R. F. Topper.

PUBLIC SALE OF DESIRABLE PROPERTY.

On Saturday, October 19, 1918.

The undersigned, attorney-in-fact for the heirs of Jerome J. Golden, late of Mt. Pleasant township, Adams county, Pa., deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises, all that Farm situate in Mt. Pleasant township, Adams county, Pa., fronting on the public road leading from Bonneauville to White Hall and immediately adjoining the village of Bonneauville, adjoining the public road on the east, land of George Gebhart on the west and south and Chas. Strawsbaugh on the north, containing 28 acres, more or less, and improved with a good brick dwelling house and back building, one and one-half story out-kitchen, frame barn, wagonshed, hog pen and all necessary outbuildings. Sale to commence at 1:30 o'clock P. M., when terms and conditions will be made known by

E. L. GOLDEN,
Attorney-in-fact,
Bonneauville, Pa.

R. C. Thompson, Auct.
J. L. Williams,
Atty. for the Estate.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Ethel Deardorff, late of the Township of Reading, Adams county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them in legal form to

CHESTER O. CHRONISTER,
Executor,
Hampton, Pa.

Clean White Rags Wanted at this Office.

New Electric Rates.

The Hanover Light, Heat & Power Company, operating in York and Adams counties, has filed with the Pennsylvania Public Service Commission a new schedule of rates to become effective on Oct. 1, making increases and changes in existing tariffs.

For residential lighting all blocks are increased one cent per kilowatt hour and the minimum charge of 75 cents net per meter is increased to \$1.00. The straight line meter rate for cooking is increased from four to five cents per kilowatt hour.

For moderate power, the first block is increased from 10 to 50 K. W. Hr., the rate remaining at 10 cents; the second block is raised from 15 to 150 K. W. Hr., and the rate reduced from 9 cents to 7 1-2 cents; the third block is raised from 25 to 800 K. W. Hr., and the rate reduced from 8 to 5 cents; the fourth block is raised from 50 to 1,000 K. W. Hr., and the rate reduced from 7 to 4 cents; the fifth block is raised from 100 to 3,000 K. W. Hr., and the rate is reduced from 6 to 3 1-2 cents; the sixth block is raised from 300 to 1,000 K. W. Hr., and the rate is decreased from 5 to 3 cents; the seventh block, noting the excess of 15,000 K. W. Hr., at two and one-half cents concludes the rates.

A five per cent discount is adopted as the standard, the clause relative to a discount of 3 per cent. to churches and religious institutions being eliminated.

The minimum charge is raised from 25 cents per horsepower connected to 50 cents per horsepower, but in no case less than \$2.00 per month. The former minimum was \$1.00.

—John Eicholtz, of Table Rock, is spending several days at the home of his grandfather, North Stratton St.

ARENDTSTVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Coleman, two daughters and nephew from Pittsburgh, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stark, Addison, Pa., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hughes, Arendtsville.

Our little village has ten of our young men in the army and there are about 33 in the class between 18 and 40.

Our farmers are now busy sowing their fall grain owing to the present rains they got their ground in excellent order for seeding.

At the contest given out at the school last spring to several of the boys who could raise the largest hog in six months was won by Gift Walter, son of Howard Walter, his pig weighing 33 lbs. when 7 weeks old, now weighs 237 lbs. and is 180 days old. The highest gain it made was 23 lbs. in 8 days.

David Knouse, who recently sold his real estate and personal property will leave for Bethlehem, Pa., where he and his wife will make their home with their son, Francis C. Knouse.

Mrs. Lena Beecher and son Emory, of Altoona, are visiting among their many relatives here.

Miss Mary Staub, of Hanover, and her sister Beaula of Lebanon, were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Staub.

Ernest L. Grammar, of Philadelphia, is the guest in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Jonas Orner, and other relatives here.

REPORT.

Of the condition of the First National Bank of Gettysburg at Gettysburg, Pa., in the State of Pennsylvania at the close of business Aug. 31, 1918.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....	958,230.33
Liberty Loan bonds unpledged	42,700.00
Overdrafts unsecured ..	155.59
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation (par value)	100,000.00
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged	10,000.00
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks	131,487.75
Stocks of Federal Reserve Bank 50 per cent. of subscription	8,700.00

Banking house.....	73,175.00
Furniture and fixtures	7,825.00
Other real estate owned	81,000.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	16,419.10
Items with Federal Reserve Bank in process of collection	72,014.12
Cash in vault and amount due from National Banks	3,200.00
Cheques on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	165,538.44
Cheques on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank	5,613.66
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,694.55
War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps owned	5,000.00
Total	68.91

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in....	\$150,000.00
Surplus fund	140,000.00
Undivided profits	36,519.15
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	6,210.65
Circulating notes	30,308.50
Due to National Banks....	98,700.00
Due to Banks, Bankers and Trust Companies	2,690.30
Individual deposits subject to check	432.20
Cashier's checks outstanding	406,807.56
Dividends unpaid	3,797.44
Certificates of deposit other than for money borrower	35.00
Total	769,951.45

Total

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, SS.

I, J. Elmer Musselman, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. ELMER MUSSELMAN,

Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 7th day of September, 1918.

WM. L. MEALS, N. P.

My commission expires March 25, 1921.

P. A. MILLER

SAM'L M. BUSHMAN

W. S. ADAMS

Directors.

POPCORN WANTED

Persons having Popcorn for sale should bring it to Highland's Candy Kitchen, 31 Carlisle street, Gettysburg, or to Hanover Shoe Shining Parlor, Center Square, Hanover. Good prices—10 cents per pound shelled or 7 cents per pound on the ear.

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SEPTEMBER 17th to 20th, 1918

Big Poultry, Horse and Cattle Shows

Fine Display of Farm and Dairy Products

Special Food Conservation Show in Main Building

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The Best Free Attractions Obtainable

Grand Display of Fireworks on Wednesday and Thursday nights.

Enlarged Midway.

Admission 25 Cents

S. A. GEISELMAN, Secretary.

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Liquid Roofing Cement

This is one of the best Roofing Cements manufactured. It will give perfect satisfaction when applied on metal, felt or tar paper, patent roofing, composition roofing, shingles, gravel, or any kind of a roof where a good permanent roof coating is desired.

Can be purchased in 5-gallon or 10-gallon kegs in red or black.

Gettysburg Department Store



The Opening Show and Sale of Autumn Coats and Suits Dresses Skirts Waists

Is Set for Monday, September 9th

The assortment is large. We planned it to meet every requirement of women who demand up-to-the minute styles combined with undeniable quality—who seek service rather than display. As such, ours is a thoroly representative stock, from which no worthy style-thought has been omitted.

Fortunately, makers with whom we have dealt for years were abundantly able to meet all our demands—they were as interested as ourselves in keeping up a reputation they had helped us to build.

We insisted on cloth-quality and exacted exceptional workmanship. Styles were abun-

dant—but real old fashioned values were scarce.

Yet these makers had provided by advance orders for nearly adequate supplies for this season. With goods in stock they were able to undersell many of their rivals. Thus it happens that

many prices are quite close to the old values which you must have thought were gone forever.

In every respect ours is a very remarkable showing—in point of variety, in point of real quality, in point of values which are not likely to be equalled anywhere.

G. W. WEAVER & SON
GETTYSBURG, PENN'A.



Gettysburg Compiler
 Gettysburg, Pa.
 Wm. Arch. McClean, Editor
 SATURDAY, SEPT 14, 1918

- DEMOCRATIC TICKET.**
- For Governor,
EUGENE C. BONNIWELL,
 of Philadelphia.
 - For Lieutenant Governor,
J. WASHINGTON LOGUE,
 of Philadelphia.
 - For Secretary of Internal Affairs,
ASHER R. JOHNSON,
 of McKean County.
 - For Congress-at-Large,
JOSEPH F. GORMAN,
 of Allentown.
FRED IKELER,
 of Bloomsburg.
J. CALVIN STRAYER,
 of York.
SAMUEL R. TARNER,
 of Pittsburgh.
 - For Congress, 20th District,
ANDREW R. BRODBECK.
 - For Legislature,
JACOB I. HERETER.

Food Prices for Week of Sept. 15.

The County Price Fixing Committee has announced for next week the following list:

Sugar goes up next week.

Wheat flour, 1-8 sack	1.45
Graham flour, 1-8 sack	1.45
Rye flour, 1-8 sack	1.45
Corn flour	.08
Barley flour	.08
Corn meal	.06
Hominy	.07
Roller oats	.08
Rice flour	.10
Corn starch, per pkg	10 1/2
Corn starch, per pkg	12
Blue Rose rice	.12
Granulated sugar	10 1/2 & 11
Pea beans	.18
Lima beans	.18
Pink beans	.13
Pure lard, city rendered	.33
Pure lard, country rendered	.32
Lard substitute	.28
Evap. milk, small can	.07
Evap. milk, large can	.15
Evap. skim milk	.12
Campbell's beans	.20
Heinz Beans, small	.15
Heinz beans, medium	.22
Pink salmon	.22
Cheese	.38
Sardines	.10
Oleomargarine	.38
Bacon, boneless	.50
Butter, creamery	.55
Canned corn, 15 to 25	
Canned peas, 15 to 25	
Canned tomatoes, 18 to 25	
Raisins, pkgs., 15	
Prunes, 15 to 18	
Peaches, 15 to 18	
Potatoes, No. 2, 10 per quarter peck	
Potatoes, No. 1, 10 1/2 per quarter pk.	
Bread, wrapped, 10	
Bread, 08	
Milk, per qt., 11	
Corn starch, rice and oatmeal are no longer sold as flour substitutes.	

Struck By Train, Lands on Engine.

Stephen Noel, of Straban township, had a thrilling accident and escaped from more serious injury in a remarkable way. He was driving to town on the Hunterstown road and started to cross the Western Maryland railroad track at the crossing at the Oylor & Spangler warehouse. The ten o'clock train west was coming down the stretch to the bridge and was not seen by Mr. Noel. The train struck the horse, killing it and made kindling wood of the conveyance. Mr. Noel, with a part of the vehicle, landed on the cow-catcher and were carried over 75 feet before the train came to a stop near the bridge. Mr. Noel had an ugly cut over the nose and on the hip and was badly bruised. It was feared that there might be some internal injury, but that he was not killed was a miracle.

Registration Day.

Registration Day, Thursday, Sept. 12, opened with a ringing of bells—just such a ringing as will be done May next come of the final doom of the Kaiser. The afternoon work was preceded by a fire firing. The registration as far as heard, was thorough in town and county.

By the last instruction from Provost Marshall General Crozier, the men between the ages of 19 and 25 years and 32 and 45 years are to be called first and quarter masters will call the first registrants. These ages are local boards. It is expected that the first units will be ready for occupancy by December. The Room Registration Office states that it is able to provide accommodations in the meantime.

Red Blood

Is good blood—Blood that nourishes the whole body, and enables every organ to perform its functions naturally. Many people owe it to HOOD'S Sarsaparilla, which relieves scrofula, eczema, psoriasis, and all blood humors.

LOCAL DRAFT BOARD

THE HUGE WORK OF BOARD HAS BEEN WELL DONE.

Government Now Recognizes the Work by Providing Compensation for the Board.

The work of the Local Board in charge of the war drafting at Gettysburg has received much well-deserved praise for its thoroughness from all acquainted with the office. The Board, composed of Dr. J. P. Dalbey, Sheriff H. J. Hartman and County Commissioner Harry B. Slagle, have given themselves most patriotically to the exhaustive labors of the position. The Board has been working day and night, handling thousands of papers, cards, reports and other detail. Dr. Dalbey has organized and systematized the work most thoroughly and has completely indexed and card indexed the work so that the office is in perfect running order. The labor has been gigantic. This labor started without pay but finally a very small amount was allowed, totally out of proportion to the work and time and devotion given it. This week a new condition has been announced.

Following recent legislation adjusting and insuring adequate compensation for services rendered by members of local draft boards, the selective service headquarters at Harrisburg has sent out the details of the manner and system by which the money will be allotted. The regulations will not affect the compensation of clerks or of examining physicians who are not members of the boards.

For services rendered by members of the local boards on or after September 1, 1918, there may be paid to each member of the board a compensation of \$1 per hour for each hour that he is actually present at the office of the board and wholly engaged in duties prescribed for members of local boards. In no case, it was stated in the regulations, is the compensation to exceed \$10 for any single day or \$200 for any single month, except in certain prescribed unusual cases.

The maximum compensation to be paid to any local board for any one month is to be determined by a scale set by the selective service headquarters. The scale is based upon the number of registrants under the jurisdiction of the individual board, varying from \$150 for 1,000 registrants or less, to \$600 for a board with between 6,000 or 7,000 registrants.

For services rendered by the members of local boards in reclassifying and inducting men (individually or collectively), and for other miscellaneous services from March 1 to June 30, 1918, each board of three or more members may be paid a compensation as payment in full for all services rendered by them to and including June 30, 1918, the sum of \$3 for each man inducted into the military service of the United States and accepted by the military authorities, from March 1 to June 30, 1918, both inclusive, by the board of which they are members.

For services rendered by the members of the local boards during the period between July 1, 1918, and August 31, 1918, each board of three or more members may be paid a compensation which shall not exceed the sum of \$3 for each registrant inducted into the military service during such period and accepted by the military authorities, and in addition thereto thirty cents as an aggregate compensation to the members of the board for each registrant of June 5 and August 24, 1918, classes, to whom a questionnaire shall have been mailed and who shall have been finally classified by the board in accordance with the regulations during that period.

Money due for services will be paid in proportionate amounts to each member of a local board claiming compensation, unless it shall be requested by a unanimous vote of the local board that money due shall be paid in some other proportion.

Uncle Sam Wants Stenographers.

Notwithstanding the fact that thousands of stenographers and typewriters have been appointed in the Government service in Washington, D. C., since our country entered the war, the United States Civil Service Commission announces that there is pressing need for several thousand more workers of this class. Women especially are urged to offer their services for this office work and thus help in a practical way in the nation's great undertaking.

Entrance salaries range from \$1000 to \$1200 a year. Most appointments are made at \$1100. Higher salaried positions are usually filled through promotion, original appointments at salaries in excess of \$1200 being rare.

Examinations are held every Tuesday in 350 cities, and the Commission states that an examination will be held in any city, day or night, when there is prospect of assembling a class of as many as three competitors. Eligibility for appointment may be obtained through passing an examination in practical tests in shorthand and typewriting, or in typewriting alone. It is practical to complete such an examination in one hour. Representatives of the Civil Service Commission at the post offices in all cities are prepared to furnish definite information to persons interested.

The Room Registration Office of the District of Columbia Council of Defense maintains a list of rooms in private homes in Washington which are available to newly appointed Government clerks. All rooms are carefully inspected before being listed. The Room Registration Office states that the usual charge for rooming accommodations with board, that is, the two principal meals of the day, is \$40 a month. To obtain this rate it is usually necessary for two persons to share a room. In addition, the Government is erecting residence halls, including restaurants, for the use of Federal employees in Washington. It is expected that the first units will be ready for occupancy by December. The Room Registration Office states that it is able to provide accommodations in the meantime.

CLEAN UP IN YORK GOING ON.

Large Part of Disease at Camp Colt Traced to York.

The War Department asks for a straight-from-the-shoulder policy in giving publicity to campaigns to rid places of prostitution and its attendant evils. This species of immorality avoids light. The United States is having all kinds of trouble on account of this evil.

On last Thursday evening members of the City Council of York and the Chief of Police of that city and members of the social hygiene division of the commissioned men on training camp activities of the War Department, held a meeting. A statement of the medical department of Camp Colt, Gettysburg, was submitted showing an investigation of the condition of the men in camp and reported that during the past four months they had 700 cases of venereal diseases in the camp, practically all of which was contracted in York and its environs. The camp surgeon reported that this is equivalent to the loss of 300 men for one year in the service of the United States, and an unnecessary expense to Camp Colt alone of between \$40,000 and \$50,000.

He further stated that one of the United States officials who investigated Camp Colt and who has been visiting camps throughout the United States, made the statement that York is a sort of centre for prostitution, who travel all over the country.

The committee explained to the city officials the ravages which the disease is making and showed them how the disease is directly responsible for an enormous percentage of blindness, incurable nervous diseases, notably locomotor ataxia, and certain forms of paralysis, incurable diseases of most of the organs of the body, and numerous surgical conditions. It was further pointed out that the mothers particularly are entirely too lax with their daughters and that this neglect, often due to ignorance, is directly responsible for the contraction of a large percentage of venereal diseases in young girls.

The councilmen and police department promised earnest and immediate co-operation to carry on plans for the control of vice and disease in York.

On Saturday night there was a roundup and the York "Gazette" says the Mayor and Chief of Police and special officer made a special tour to see what was taking place and that "they saw plenty, according to reports." Some very young girls were arrested in the roundup and some not so young. There were fines and detentions.

The Mayor of York objects to the bad name this investigation is giving York and insists that there are few if any real houses of prostitution in York. He admits that there are private rooms and houses where women take men, presumably for immoral purposes, but the Mayor declares there is no way of regulating or interfering with this. He also insists that most of the immorality is practiced outside the city limits; that soldiers bring much of the infection to York, and that very young girls and their parents are too lax in their conduct.

The United States vice probers in a letter declare:

"There are open houses of prostitution in York. And there is a large amount of clandestine prostitution," and goes on to observe, "I don't believe York desires the disgrace attendant upon federal investigation. It does not seem possible that a majority of your patriotic and influential citizens will allow affairs to drift along until such a course is inevitable. Hence we are counting on your activities to wake your city up; to organize its energies; to liberate the Paul Revers and wake up Rip Van Winkles."

"A recent roundup of prostitutes in a city 'somewhere in Pennsylvania' disclosed thirty-one cases of syphilis out of fifty-eight prostitutes. A considerable portion of the remainder were infected with gonorrhea. These degenerates could create twice the havoc among a given number of men as would a German gas attack."

York has been having a number of meetings in effort to seek some plan to clean up York.

Gettysburg has had its own troubles and they have not been few. The strong handed methods in having all suspected houses of prostitution raided and the bawdy house prosecutions of last year has had a salutary effect here. The work of the State Police has been of greatest value, the number of prostitutes who have been met at trains by these police and warned that they could not stay here and those who have been escorted to trains and sent off would run into large numbers.

Rank Shown by Cheese.

The English, the Germans and the Norwegians are great consumers of cheese, but the people of Switzerland surpass them all.

The cheese of Zermatt is so hard that one is obliged to scrape it or to change with a hatchet, and its use is considered most important on such occasions.

The rank of a Swiss family is known by the age of its cheese, and the more affection or respect a guest honors the harder is the cheese which is set out in his honor.

It is said that there are families in Switzerland whose cheeses date from the first French Revolution, and these are served only at baptisms, weddings and after funerals.

Upon the birth of a new heir a cheese is made that takes the name given him or her, and that particular cheese is never in any circumstances cut until the boy or girl grows up and is married.

On such occasions each of the guests takes a piece of cheese from the bridegroom and from the bride and drinks to their felicity, the cheese being held aloft.

Tom Whalen Writes from Trenches.

Father Will W. Whalen, of Buchanan Valley, has received the following very interesting letter from his brother Tom, now in the trenches with the 76th Field Artillery, Supply Co.:

"Your letter arrived. As you know, that made me happy. 'Tis my delight when mail time comes to find your letter. Fritz and Hans have been making it pretty mean for us with their planes. Their shells don't worry me, but the plane bombs are like hell bustin' up. They shake the earth. I don't mind the Huns shooting at men that can walk and run but the poor wounded fellows in the hospitals catch it hard. If the infernal Boche would only let the hospitals alone, we'd forgive him much, but when he picks out and picks on our helpless pals, it makes a fellow feel like walking on the face of every Fritz he sees."

"We're back resting now. You wouldn't fancy there was a war going on to see our fellows playing baseball. Such a happy bunch! Go at it as we did the scrub games at home. Nobody loves the umpire. He's the Hun of the field. Maybe he doesn't get his. 'Fat head! Pin head!' is what's handed him."

"Don't let any one tell you the Yanks ain't got the guts. They're masters with nerve, bayonet and rifle. Nearly every Hun we looked at was shot through the head."

"Our regiment—and the cock crew!—did wonderful work in the battle of the Marne. We made it as hot for the Hun in this world as we hope he'll have it in the next!! Gee, to see the flower of the Crown Prince's army wilt! I wish you were here to listen to the racket. You'd swear hell was drunk on highballs. Imagine how it sounded with the boys throwing thirty-six shell a minute. They captured a German officer. He wanted to see the three inch gun. He was shown the American at work in the pit. He said with a funny sheepish smile, 'It beats hell.' (Isn't this one hell of a letter!) The Huns thought all the guns in the world were pounding them, but 'twas only our Brigade. Do you wonder me nightcap doesn't fit! And then I made a three-base hit the next day!"

"I don't know when we'll go back to the front. It may be any day. No one knows, but watch for a big battle. You'll learn when we go back—and say, chase your prayers after us to hang over the fellows who fall! Our regiment has been congratulated by General Dickman and also Pershing so you see your sarcastic smile about us kids being Little Boy Blue blowing his horn, must come off. I wasn't kidding about our kid bunch when I spoke to you in New York. The next time you hear from me, they'll have more honors. I can't write often, for we're always on the move, but I don't forget you."

"We have it nice here. Get all we can chaw. And with our out-door life, we look like a bunch of healthy babies that never were weaned. I tip the scales at 170."

"Lovingly."

"TOM."

WEDDINGS.

McKee-Slaybaugh.—Miss Mary E. Slaybaugh, of Gettysburg, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Slaybaugh of Springs avenue, this place, and Lieut. Charles W. McKee, U. S. A., were married on Thursday at Butler, Lieut. McKee's home. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Baldinger. Lieut. McKee attended Gettysburg College in the class of 1918. He was a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity and prominent in all branches of athletics. He earned his commission as second lieutenant at Camp Taylor, and has been assigned to Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C. Mrs. McKee will return to spend several days at her home here before joining her husband at Columbia.

Oyler-Strickhouser.—Miss Myrtle B. Strickhouser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strickhouser, of near Harney, and Carl Ernest Oyler, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Price Oyler, of Gettysburg, were married Saturday evening at the Lutheran parsonage, Carlisle, by Dr. A. R. Steck, a former pastor of St. James Lutheran church who married the bridegroom's parents while pastor here. The bride was formerly a student of Shippensburg Normal School, and is now teaching in the county. The bridegroom is employed by the firm of Oyler & Spangler. They will reside at Gettysburg.

Asper-Beitman.—Verna L. Beitman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beitman, of Gardners, and John R. Asper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Asper, of York Springs, were married at the York Springs Lutheran parsonage on Sunday evening, by the pastor, Rev. Paul Glatfelter.

Kress-Rider.—Miss Jeanette Rider, daughter of Mr. Emma Rider, and Roger Kress, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Kress, of Littlestown, were united in marriage Wednesday, Sept. 4, at St. Agnes' rectory, Littlestown, by the Rev. W. J. O'Callaghan. Miss Pauline Rider, a sister of the bride, and Mrs. Charles Zeigler witnessed the ceremony. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride to a few friends. The bride will remain at her home for the present.

Myers-Sanders.—Earl J. Myers and Miss Virgie C. Sanders, of Fairfield, were married Sept. 3, by Rev. Wm. L. Redkey at St. Paul's Lutheran parsonage, Hanover.

Brandt-Myers.—Verna Mabel Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Myers, of Newport, Pa., was married to Sergt. Paul L. Brandt, of Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas, on Monday, Sept. 9. The groom was a former principal of the York Springs schools.

Ralph, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Eisenhart, of Hamilton township, fell one day last week and broke both bones of his left forearm.



Hon. Andrew R. Brodbeck
Candidate for Congress
Extract From Mr. Root's Address
at the Annual Meeting of the
National Security League
Held May 8th, 1918.

"We are going to elect a Congress this coming fall. There is one great single predominant qualification for an election to that Congress, and that is a loyal heart. (Applause)."

"I don't care whether a man is a Democrat or a Republican or a Progressive or a Socialist or a Prohibitionist, or whatnot, he must have a loyal heart, or it is treason to send him to Congress. (Applause). There are probably from twenty to thirty Congressional districts in this country where there is a loyal majority but where there is so large a disloyal minority that a division of the loyal majority may let a pro-German in. In every one of those districts, Democrats and Republicans and all loyal men should get together, and agree upon the loyal man of one party or the other who is the surest to carry the district, and all unite on him without regard to party. (Applause)."


"Any man who would not accept the idea and follow it, I would want to live a hundred years to yote and work against. (Applause). Human nature has not changed. There are going to be parties, going to be politics hereafter; but now they are subordinate, they are unimportant. The one thing only is to win the war, and put men in Congress who will represent the driving power of the American people; the driving power that is behind Congress, that is behind the Administration, and that, God grant, may make itself felt behind the men who are putting over contracts and lingering on the road to victory. (Applause)."

"The great thing is to make Germany feel that the hundred millions of America are going, as one man, to beat them (applause). to make every American feel that all the rest of the hundred millions are with him in his mightiest efforts to beat the German. (Applause)."

Reflect. Apply the words of this great American to the situation in this Congressional District. The man to elect without regard to party is the man who has been representing the driving power of the American people.—**Brodbeck**

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that at least one dreaded disease, scrofula, has been able to cure. That is Catarrh of the Bladder, which requires constant medical attention. It is cured by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla. The cure is so simple and so sure that it is a miracle. One Hundred Dollars for a cure that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHAPMAN & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, etc.



Closed Season for Pheasant.

1918 is a closed season for the killing of Ring Neck Pheasants in Adams county under the provisions of the Act of April 29, 1913, and April 6, 1915. No pheasants can be killed in Adams county until the open season of 1919.

The penalties for killing any of the above birds in closed territory are from \$25 up to \$500, as specifically fixed by the two Acts above referred to. Many of the counties have been stocked with the game so protected, while in other cases the native stock can be replenished only by closing for a period and it is asked that every one not only observe this law but that help be given in all ways to have the law obeyed by others so that such game may increase to the benefit of all sportsmen.

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for the Legislature
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10:03 a. m. Daily except Sunday, for Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Hancock, Cumberland, Thomas, Elkins, and points west via Cumberland.
4:38 p. m. Daily except Sunday for Hanover, York, Baltimore and intermediate stations.
6:00 p. m. Sundays only for Hanover and Baltimore.
6:57 p. m. Daily except Sunday, for Hagerstown and intermediate stations.
8:28 p. m. Sundays only for Hanover and York.

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A veteran business man, who was almost completely bald and had tried numerous tonics, lotions, shampoos, etc., without benefit, came across, while on a journey, an Indians' recipe by which he grew a complete crop of healthy, luxuriant hair that he now possesses. Others—men and women—have reported remarkable hair growth by the same method. Whoever wishes the recipe may obtain it free by writing to John Hart Brittain, BA-222, Station F, New York, N. Y. Or obtain a box of the ointment, Kotalko, made according to the perfected recipe, at the drug store, ready for use.

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In a vast number of cases, when hair falls out, the roots are not dead, but remain imbedded in the scalp, alive, like seeds or bulbs, needing only fertility. The usual alkaline shampoos, alcoholized hair tonics, etc., are of no avail in such cases. The Indians' ointment nourishes the hair and stimulates the growth. Kotalko fertilizes the scalp and induces hair growth in every case possible; wonderful results reported. For men's, women's and children's hair. If you are bald, or losing hair, or have dandruff, you should try Kotalko. It is a pleasure to observe the starting of new hair and its steady increase until a prolific growth supercedes this hair or baldness. Cut out this notice; show to others who want beautiful hair. The recipe is free. This is genuine.

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Wouldn't you love to be the picture of health you see so often in others—but how can you get been yourself on account of your weight? The difference between you and what you want to be can easily be overcome.
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WORLD'S NEWS IN CONDENSED FORM
PARIS.—A treaty of alliance has been concluded between Germany and Finland under which the entire man power of Finland is put at Germany's disposal.
AMSTERDAM.—The large number of German officials in Belgium have been called up for military service, according to the Nieuwe Rotterdam Courant. Their places are to be taken by women.
WASHINGTON.—Secretary of War Newton D. Baker has arrived safely in France; the war department announced. He was accompanied by a party of war department officials.
WASHINGTON.—It is hinted that Attorney General Gregory may be forced out of the cabinet as a result of the recent slacker raids. The general view at the capital is that "somebody" blundered and must suffer for it. The President is expected to order a reorganization of the department of justice's methods in dealing with slackers.
MEXICO CITY.—Mexican cabinet member admits the purpose of the Mexican paper tax decree was to defeat the American blacklist and supply news print to pro-German publications.

ALL BREWERIES CLOSE DEC. 1
Decree Making Bars Beerless
Has Full Approval of the President.
PURELY A WAR MEASURE.
Manufacturers of Other Beverages Warned to Prepare for Curtailment. Prohibition Legislation Anticipated by Drastic Act.

Washington.—The bars of the nation will be beerless next year regardless of whether the wartime prohibition measure, passed by the senate as part of the agricultural stimulation bill, becomes a law.
An order, which had the full approval of President Wilson, went out from the food administration closing all breweries in the country on December 1. This is the very action which the original Randall rider, passed by the house, sought to force upon the President in providing that no appropriations for the stimulation of agriculture should be available until the President had stopped the use of food-stuffs for this purpose under the authority conferred upon him by the Lever law.

Warning that the production of beer substitutes and other soft drinks and spring waters is also to be materially curtailed was given with the announcement that the brewing was to be stopped and the breweries shut down for the period of the war.
Significance was seen in the fact that the announcement of the administrative action followed closely upon the passage by the senate of the food production stimulation bill with its rider enforcing nation wide prohibition as a war measure.
In effect, the action by the President and his advisers anticipates the "dry" legislation which has been hanging fire in Congress. The dry rider would enforce nation wide prohibition by June 30. All whisky distilling in the United States or the distilling of other spirits for beverage purposes was stopped by order of the President just a little short of a year ago. With the ban on brewing the nation is certain to go dry within a year, whether the nation wide dry rider becomes a law or not.
Beer is not aged like whisky, and the stocks carried are comparatively small. The order issued by the food administration curtailing the brewing of beer 50 per cent. July 3 has resulted in a depletion of the stocks on hand. It will be a matter of a few months only before the beer drinkers will be out of a supply. As the entire whisky

stock of the nation will be consumed within a year, according to the estimates of the best qualified government experts, this means a dry nation with or without prohibition legislation.
The bans placed upon both distilling and brewing are put down as war conservation measures. Distilling was stopped to save the large amount of grain that was converted into alcohol. Brewing is to be stopped to save not only the grain that was malted, but fuel consumption and transportation as well. A big saving in coal consumption and in freight car capacity of the nation is anticipated.
The beer drinking population scarcely felt the 50 per cent. curtailment order which has been in effect two months. This was because the breweries combined in coal saving to keep up production, but it will be a comparatively short time now before the pinch is felt.
For a year the food and fuel administrations have been cutting in upon the beer supply of the nation. Restriction of the alcohol content of beer was ordered a year ago, making a saving in malted grain. Coincident with fuel administration orders limiting brewing an order was issued by the food administration prohibiting the further malting of grain for brewing purposes.

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